## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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An apparatus for creating purchase information includes a storage unit, a searching unit, and a creation unit. The storage unit storages purchase information concerning items selected by a customer from an item list provided by an online shopping service. The searching unit searches the storage unit for the purchase information corresponding to a search condition received from a person, e.g., a supervisor who manages the online shopping service, other than the customer. The creation unit creates purchase information concerning an item to be purchased by the person, based on the purchase information searched.